

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : John T. LOPER et al. Confirmation No.: 8539
Application Number : 10/749,276
Filed : December 31, 2003
Title : HYDROCARBYL DISPERSANTS INCLUDING PENDANT
POLAR FUNCTIONAL GROUPS
TC/Art Unit : 1714
Examiner: : James C. Goloboy

Docket No. : 0013.0098
Customer No. : **63970**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed September 11, 2006, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.